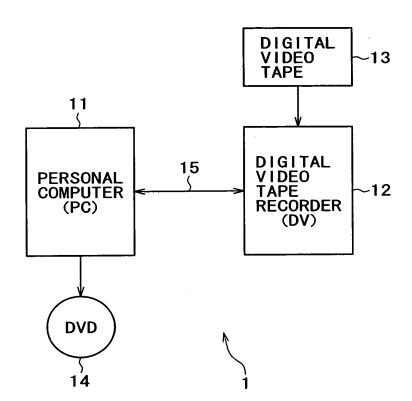
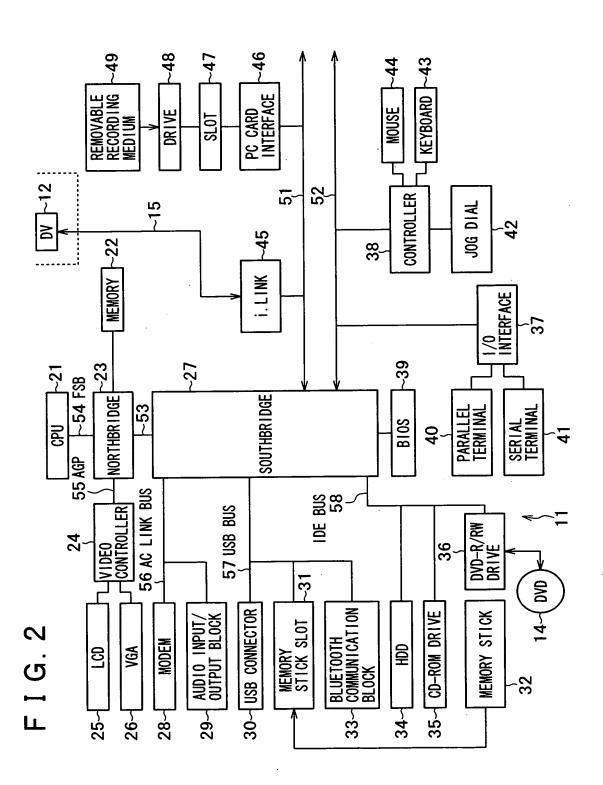
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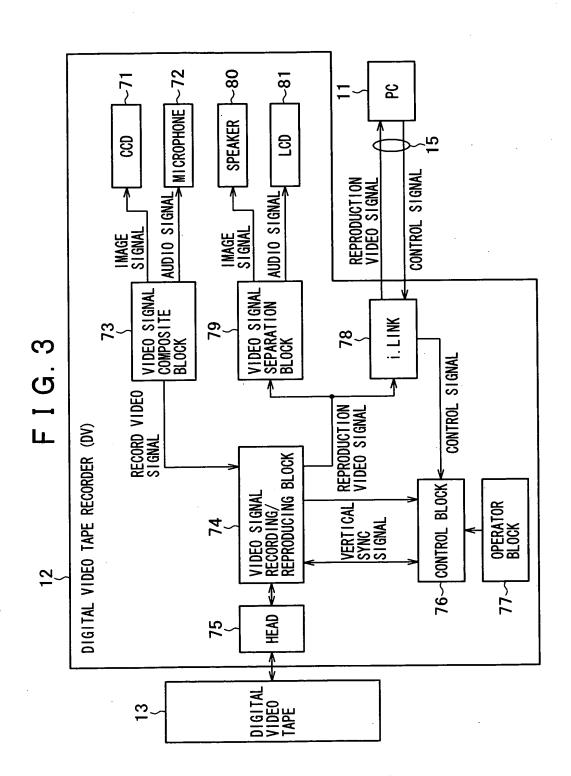


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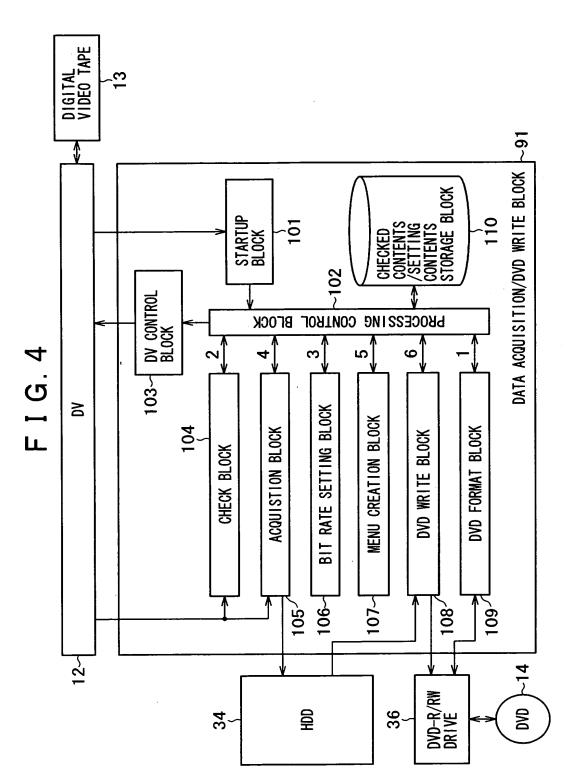


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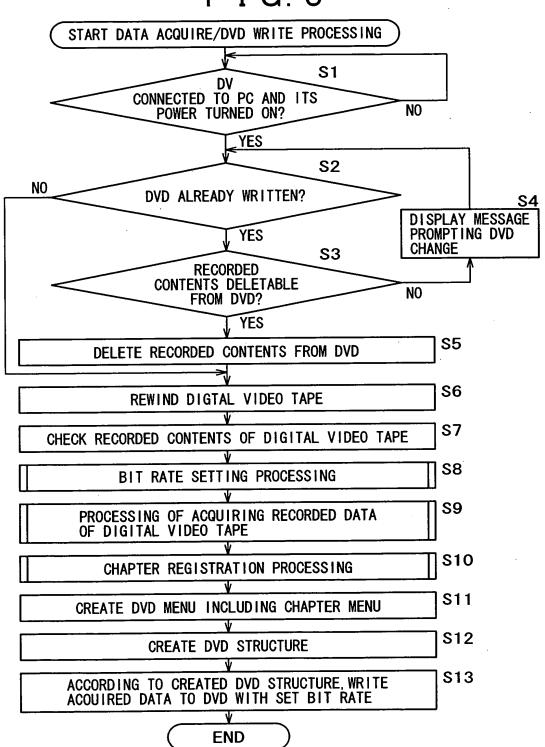


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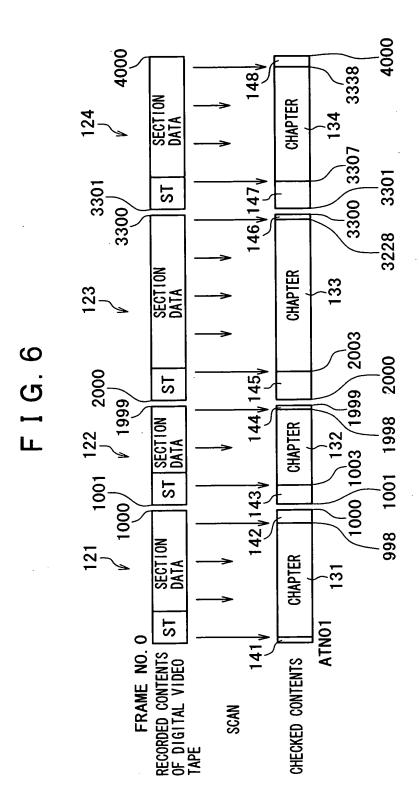


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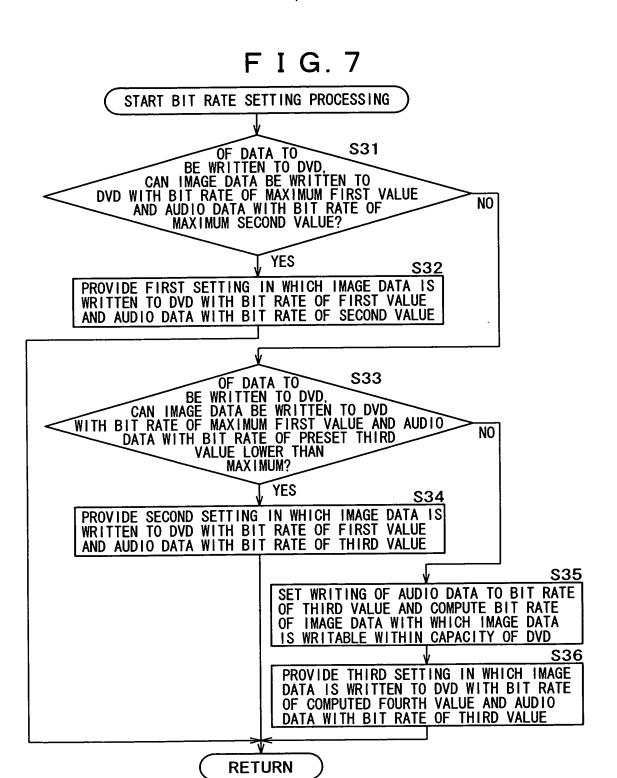
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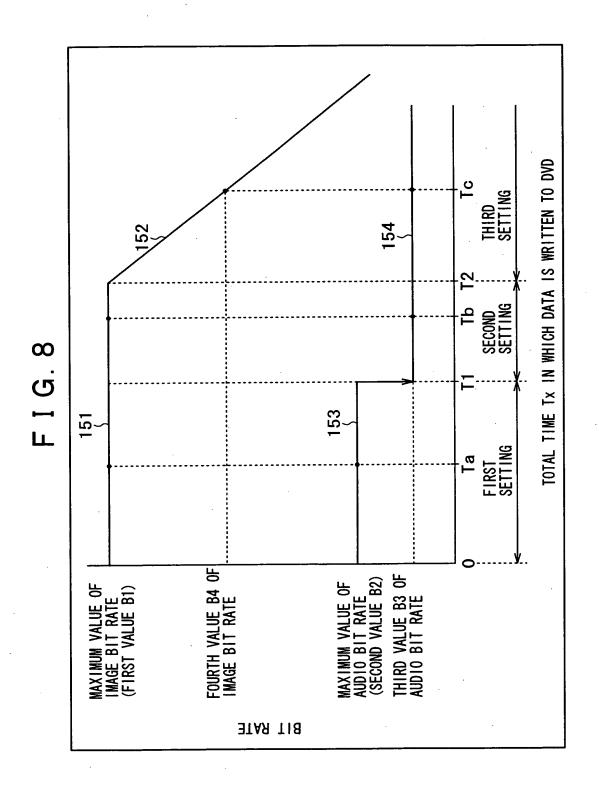
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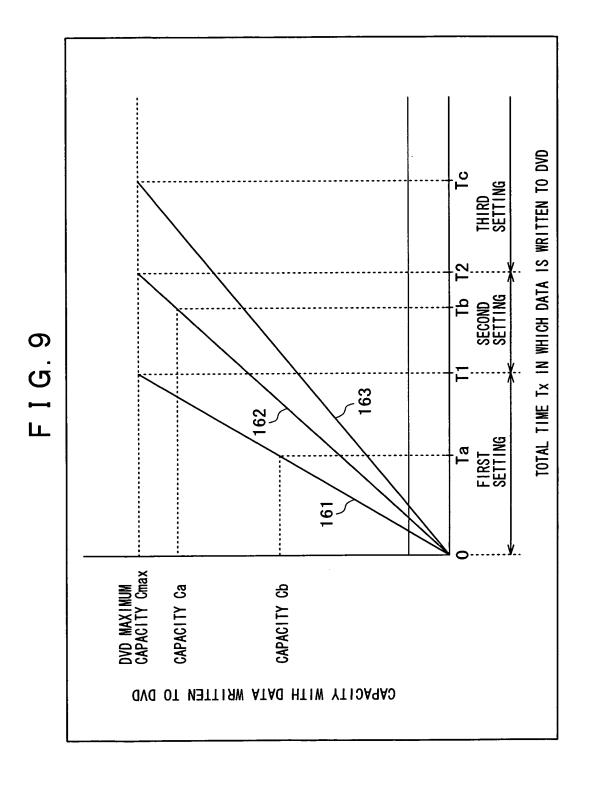
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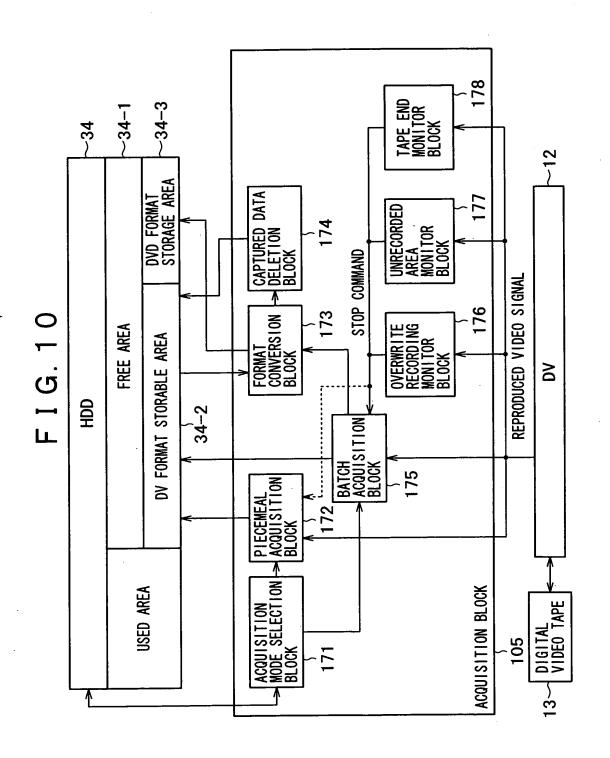
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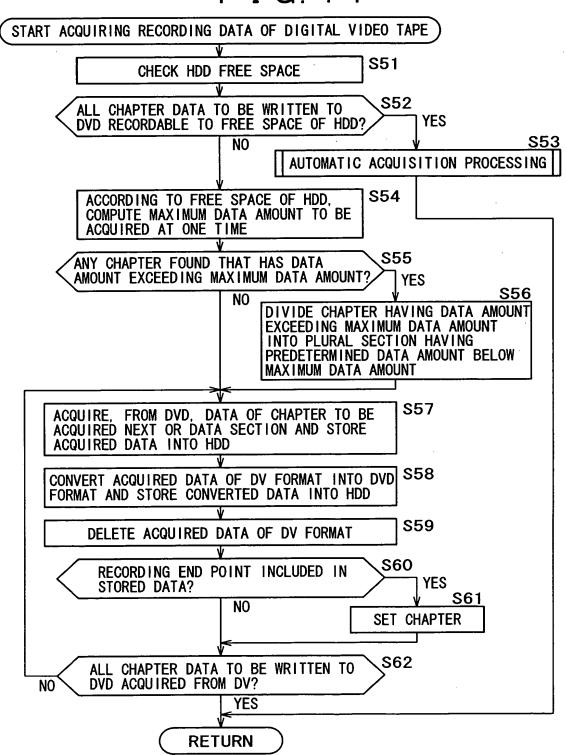


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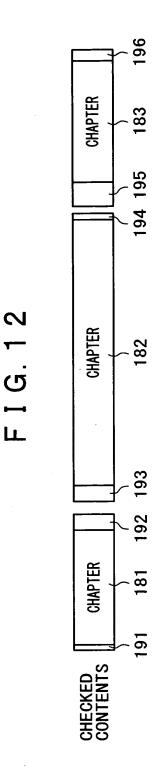
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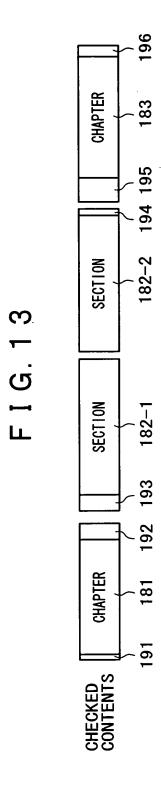
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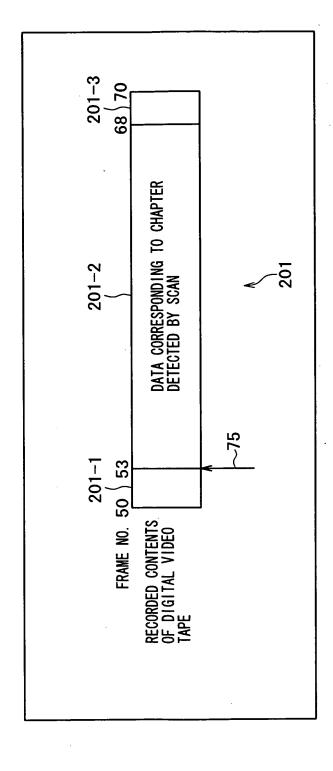
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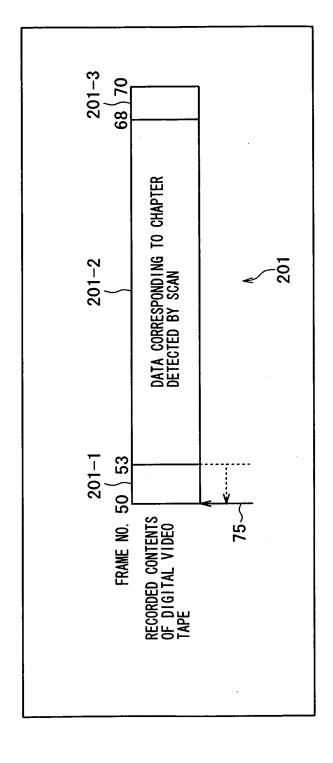


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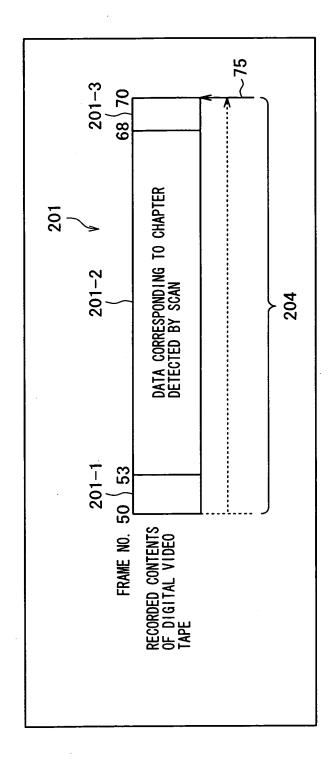
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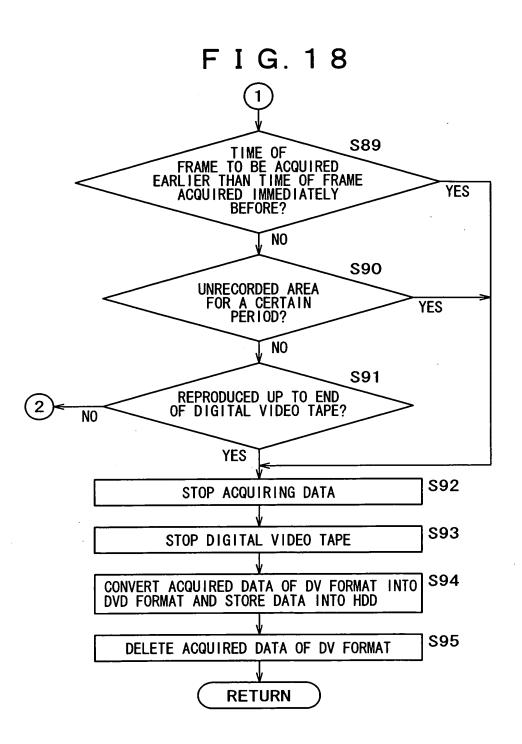


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F I G. 17 START AUTOMATIC ACQUISITION PROCESSING **S81** DATA ACQUISITION
FROM ACQUISITION START POSITION
ENABLED? YES NO **S82** ON THE BASIS OF ACQUISITION START POSITION, FEED FAST FORWARD OR REWIND DIGITAL VIDEO TAPE **S83** START ACQUIRING DATA **S84** REPRODUCE DIGITAL VIDEO TAPE **S85** RECORDING START POINT **DETECTED?** NO YES **S86** ACQUIRE RECORDING START TIME **S87** RECORDING END POINT DETECTED? **S88** ACQUIRE RECORDING END TIME AND SET CHAPTER

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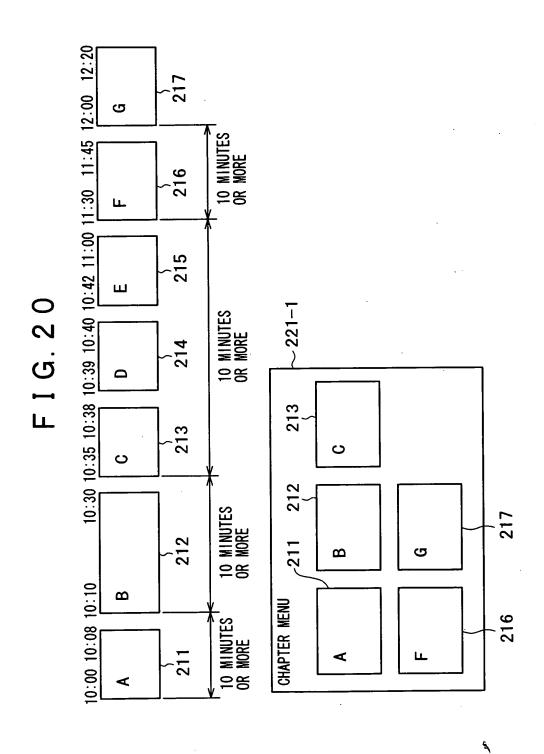
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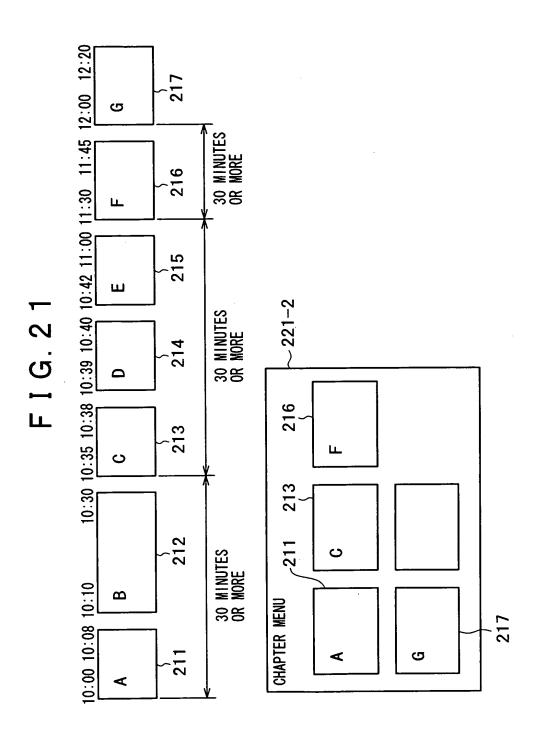
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INTERVAL BETWEEN
TIME OF RECORDING START POINT OF
CHAPTER IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING CHAPTER
REGISTERED IN CHAPTER MENU AND RECORDING
START TIME OF TARGET CHAPTER
LONGER THAN SPECIFIED
TIME? NO YES **S114** REGISTER TARGET CHAPTER INTO CHAPTER MENU S115 TARGET CHAPTER = LAST CHAPTER? YES NO

SET NEXT CHAPTER AS TARGET CHAPTER

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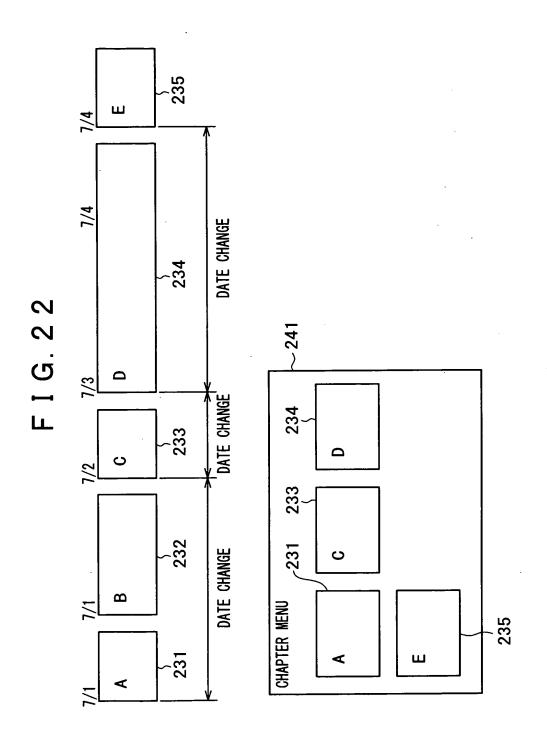
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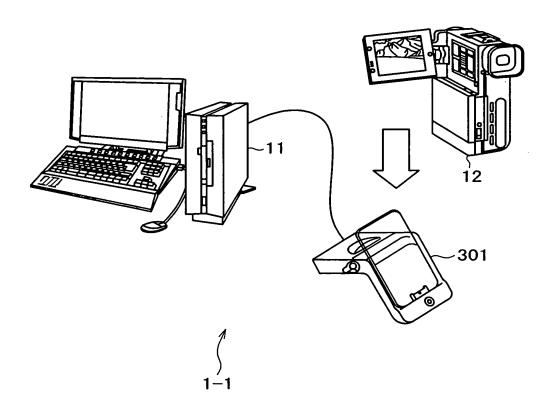
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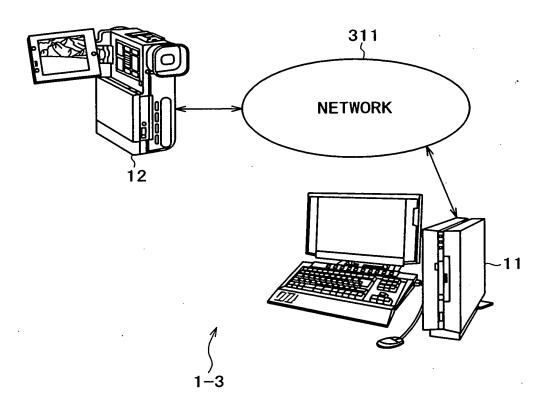
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